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In re application of: ) Confirmation No.: 6683  
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 Serial No.: 10/589,153 ) Examiner: Morrison, T. A.  
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 Filed: 11 August 2006 )  
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 For: **METHOD AND DEVICE FOR** )  
**TRANSPORTING A SHEET** )

**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

Mail Stop AF Atlanta, GA 30308  
Honorable Commissioner for Patents 21 June 2010  
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Sir:

The *Office Action*, marked *Final*, from Examiner Thomas A. Morrison of Art Unit 3653, has been received and carefully reviewed. In response thereto, Applicant respectfully submits this *Response and Amendment*.

Applicant clarifies its arguments as to the patentable distinctions between the cited prior art and the present invention, and respectfully submits that the cited references neither teach nor suggest the present invention.

Applicant further submits this *Response and Amendment After Final Rejection* does not raise new matter issues or raise issues requiring further consideration or searches. It is respectfully requested that the Examiner reconsider the pending *Final Office Action* for the following reasons and remarks.

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